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SUBJ: ISLAMIC COUNCIL CALLS FOR CALM

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1. AS RESULT OF VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION IN HARAM FEB 20, ISLAMIC HIGHER COUNCIL HAS CALLED UPON MUSLIMS TO AVOID ACTIVITIES WHICH MIGHT LEAD TO VIOLATION OF HARAM. WHILE REAFFIRMING DUTY OF DEFENDING AL-AQSA MOSQUE, COUNCIL STATEMENT OF FEB 24 AIMS TO AVOID REPETITION OF FEB 20. CLASHES.

2. COUNCIL DIRECTOR TOLD CONGEN OFFICER ISRAELIS INITIALLY REFUSED TO ALLOW STATEMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BECAUSE IT REAFFIRMS MUSLIM'S RIGHTS TO HARAM. HOWEVER, AFTER MEETING OF COUNCIL WITH POLICE MINISTER HILLEL, STATEMENT PUBLISHED IN LOCAL ARABIC DAILY AL QUDS, FEB 27.

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3. OTHER SOURCES AT HARAM PREDICT COUNCIL STATEMENT

WILL HAVE LITTLE INFLUENCE IF ISRAELIS ATTEMPT TO PRAY IN
HARAM. EVEN HEAVY FINES PAID BY FATHERS OF ARRESTED DEMON-
STRATORS DO NOT DETER SONS FROM PARTICIPATION, THEY SAY,
AS SENTIMENTS OF YOUTH INTENSE.

4. CONGEN SOURCE REPORTS ISRAELI DISTRICT PROSECUTOR'S
APPEAL OF MAGISTRATE'S FULING THAT JEWS HAVE RIGHT TO PRAY
IN HARAM PROCEEDING THROUGH NORMAL CHANNELS AND MAY NOT BE
HEARD FOR TWO OR THREE MONTHS.
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